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Applicant : Thomas TUSCHL et al  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

March 10, 2008

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 11, 2007, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.